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Should the Examiner have any further questions, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned.

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Although no fee is believed to be due in this matter, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 13-4365.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDED VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES

Claim 13 has been amended as follows:

13. (Amended) A moldable thermoplastic composite composition, comprising:

about 20 to about 50 percent by weight of a discontinuous lignocellulose wood fiber filler, the discontinuous lignocellulose wood fiber filler comprising at least about 20 percent by weight of discontinuous lignocellulose wood fibers having a length of at least about 15 millimeters and a diameter of less than about 0.50 millimeters, and

about 50 to about 80 percent by weight thermoplastic.